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## NOTICE OF DRAFTSPERSON'S PATENT DRAWING REVIEW

drawings are required.	· .
1. DRAWINGS. 37 CFR 1.84(a): Acceptable	8. ARRANGEMENT OF VIEWS. 37 CFR 1.84(i)
categories of drawings: Black ink or	Words do not appear on a horizontal, left-to-right
Color (3 sets required).	fashion when page is either upright or turned so
Color drawings are not acceptable until petition is	that the top becomes the right side, except for
granted. Fig(s) Pencil and non black ink not permitted. Fig(s)	graphs. Fig(s)
2. PHOTOGRAPHS. 37 CFR 1.84(b)	Scale not large enough to show mechanism
One (1) full-tone set is required. Fig(s)	without crowding when drawing is reduced in
Photographs may not be mounted. 37 CFR 1.84(e)	size to two-thirds in reproduction.
Photographs must meet paper size requirements of	Fig(s)
- 37 CFR 1.84(f). Fig(s)	10. CHARACTER OF LINES, NUMBERS, &
Poor quality (half-tone). Fig(s)	LETTERS. 37 CFR 1.84(1)
3. TYPE OF PAPER. 37 CFR 1.84(e)	Lines, numbers & letters not uniformly thick and
Paper not flexible, strong, white, and durable.	well defined, clean, dyrable, and black (poor line
Fig(s)	quality). Fig(s)
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folds, copy machine marks not accepted.	Solid black areas pale. Fig(s)
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4. SIZE OF PAPER. 37 CFR 1.84(f): Acceptable	12. NUMBERS, LETTERS, & REFERENCE
Sizes:	CHARACTERS. 37 CFR 1.84(p)
21.0 cm by 29.7 cm (DIN size A4) or	Numbers and reference characters not plain and
2il.6 cm by 27.9 cm (8 1/2x 11 inches)  All drawing sheets not the same size.	legible. Fig(s)  Figure legends are poor. Fig(s)
Sheet(s)	Numbers and reference characters not oriented in
Drawings sheets not an acceptable size. Fig(s)	the same direction as the view. 37 CFR 1.84(p)(1)
5. MARGINS. 37 CFR 1.84(g): Acceptable margins:	Fig(s)
Top 2.5 cm Left 2.5 cm Right 1.5 cm Bottom 1.0 cm	English alphabet not used. 37 CFR 1.84(p)(2)
Margins not acceptable. Fig(s)	Fig(s)
Top (T) Left (L)	Numbers, letters and reference characters must be
Right (R) Bottom (B)	at least 32 cm (1/8 inch) in height. 37 CFR
6. VIEWS. 37 CFR 1.84(h)	1.84(p)(3). Fig(s)
REMINDER: Specification may require revision to	13. LEAD LINES. 37 CFR 1.84(q)
correspond to drawing changes, e.g., if Fig. 1 is	Lead lines missing. Fig(s)
changed to Fig. 1A, Fig 1B and Fig. 1C, etc., the	14. NUMBERING OF SHEETS OF DRAWINGS.
specification, at the Brief Description of the Drawings,	37 CFR 1.84(t)
must likewise be changed.	Sheets not numbered consecutively, and in Arabic
Views not labeled separately or properly.	numbers beginning with number 1. Sheet(s)  15. NUMBERING OF VIEWS. 37 CFR 1.84(u)
7. SECTIONAL VIEWS. 37 CFR 1.84(h)(3)	Views not numbered consecutively, and in Arabic
	numerals, beginning with number 1. Fig(s)
Sectional designation should be noted with	16. DESIGN DRAWINGS. 37 CFR 1.152
Arabic or Roman numbers. Fig(s)	Surface shading shown not appropriate.
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	Solid black surface shading is not permitted except
	when used to represent the color black as well as
	color contrast. Fig(s)
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## **Notice Regarding Drawings**

Corrected drawings for the above-identified application, received in the USPTO on <u>09/25/2001</u> are still not acceptable for the reason(s) identified on the attached PTO-948. Applicant is given one opportunity to correct the informalities within a two-month time period from the mailing date of this Notice. THIS TIME PERIOD IS NOT EXTENDABLE UNDER EITHER 37 CFR 1.136(a) OR 1.136(b). Failure to take corrective action within the set period will result in abandonment of the application.

ATTACHMENT: PTO-948 Notice of Draftsperson's Patent Review RETURN CORRECTED DRAWINGS TO: Commissioner for Patents
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